

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB2627

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/10-20.64 105 ILCS 5/34-18.57

Amends the School Code. Provides that a student may not be questioned or detained at a school site at which students are detained in connection with criminal charges or allegations, taken into custody, or engaged with law enforcement personnel without the presence of the student's parent or guardian, a school social worker, or a licensed mental health professional. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning education.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Sections
- 5 10-20.64 and 34-18.57 as follows:
- 6 (105 ILCS 5/10-20.64)
- 7 Sec. 10-20.64. Booking stations on school grounds.
- 8 (a) There shall be no student booking station established 9 or maintained on the grounds of any school.
- (b) This prohibition shall be applied to student booking 10 stations only, as defined in this Section. The prohibition does 11 not prohibit or affect the establishment or maintenance of any 12 place operated by or under the control of law enforcement 13 14 personnel, school resource officers, or other security personnel that does not also qualify as a student booking 15 station as defined in paragraph (2) of subsection (d) of this 16 Section. The prohibition does not affect or limit the powers 17 afforded law enforcement officers to perform their duties 18 19 within schools as otherwise prescribed by law.
 - (c) When the underlying suspected or alleged criminal act is an act of violence, and isolation of a student or students is deemed necessary to the interest of public safety, and no other location is adequate for secure isolation of the student

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- or students, offices as described in paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of this Section may be employed to detain students for a period no longer than that required to alleviate that threat to public safety.
 - (c-5) A student may not be questioned or detained at a school site described in paragraph (2) of subsection (d) without the presence of the student's parent or quardian, a school social worker, or a licensed mental health professional.
 - (d) As used in this Section, "student booking station" means a building, office, room, or any indefinitely established space or site, mobile or fixed, which operates concurrently as:
 - (1) predominantly or regularly a place of operation for a municipal police department, county sheriff department, or other law enforcement agency, or under the primary control thereof; and
 - (2) a site at which students are detained in connection with criminal charges or allegations against those students, taken into custody, or engaged with law enforcement personnel in any process that creates a law enforcement record of that contact with law enforcement personnel or processes.
- 22 (Source: P.A. 100-204, eff. 8-18-17; 100-863, eff. 8-14-18.)
- 23 (105 ILCS 5/34-18.57)
- Sec. 34-18.57. Booking stations on school grounds.
- 25 (a) There shall be no student booking station established

or maintained on the grounds of any school.

- (b) This prohibition shall be applied to student booking stations only, as defined in this Section. The prohibition does not prohibit or affect the establishment or maintenance of any place operated by or under the control of law enforcement personnel, school resource officers, or other security personnel that does not also qualify as a student booking station as defined in paragraph (2) of subsection (d) of this Section. The prohibition does not affect or limit the powers afforded law enforcement officers to perform their duties within schools as otherwise prescribed by law.
- (c) When the underlying suspected or alleged criminal act is an act of violence, and isolation of a student or students is deemed necessary to the interest of public safety, and no other location is adequate for secure isolation of the student or students, offices as described in paragraph (1) of subsection (d) of this Section may be employed to detain students for a period no longer than that required to alleviate that threat to public safety.
- (c-5) A student may not be questioned or detained at a school site described in paragraph (2) of subsection (d) without the presence of the student's parent or guardian, a school social worker, or a licensed mental health professional.
- (d) As used in this Section, "student booking station" means a building, office, room, or any indefinitely established space or site, mobile or fixed, which operates concurrently as:

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 - (2) a site at which students are detained in connection with criminal charges or allegations against those students, taken into custody, or engaged with law enforcement personnel in any process that creates a law enforcement record of that contact with law enforcement personnel or processes.
- 11 (Source: P.A. 100-204, eff. 8-18-17; 100-863, eff. 8-14-18.)
- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.